UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK

Appl. No. :

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PECENVED OF CENTRAL 2004 CONTROL 2100

Applicant :

K. SHIMOOKA et al

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a two-month Extension of Time, to and including Decmeber 12, 2004, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated Julye 12, 2004 in the above-identified application.

Our Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$450.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,

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